

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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**RE:** MUR 6081

American Issues Project, Inc.

Dear Ms. Mitchell:

On October 2 and 21, 2008, the Federal Election Commission notified your client, American Issues Project, Inc., of complaints alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended.<sup>1</sup>

On May 7, 2013, the Commission considered the complaints, but there was an insufficient number of votes to: (1) find reason to believe that American Issues Project, Inc. violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 432, 433, and 434; (2) find no reason to believe American Issues Project, Inc. violated 2 U.S.C. § 441a(f); or (3) dismiss the allegation that American Issues Project, Inc. violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(c) and 11 C.F.R. § 109.10(c). Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003) and Statement of Policy Regarding Placing First General Counsel's Reports on the Public Record, 74 Fed. Reg. 66,132 (Dec. 14, 2009). The Commission did not adopt a Factual and Legal Analysis for this case. A Statement of Reasons further explaining the basis for the Commission's decision will follow.

If you have any questions, please contact Peter Reynolds, the attorney assigned to this matter at (202) 694-1650.

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As indicated in past correspondence, allegations concerning American Issues Project in MUR 6094 were severed and subsequently merged into MUR 6081 on April 16, 2009.